PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING * BEFORE THE W/S Falls Road, 2500' S of the c/l of Benson Mill Road

 ZONING COMMISSIONER (15906 Falls Road) * OF BALTIMORE COUNTY 5th Election District 3rd Councilmanic District * Case No. 90-62-SPH

Dennis G. McGee Petitioner

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FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The Petitioner herein requests a special hearing to approve the non-density transfer of 4.00 acres to an adjoining property owner and to establish not more than two lots from a 12.00 acre parcel in an R.C. 2 zone, as more particularly described in Petitioner's Exhibit 1.

The Petitioner appeared, testified and was represented by J. Melville Townsend, Esquire. I to appearing on behalf of the Petition was Michael B. Dallas, Registered Property Line Surveyor. There were no Prot-

Testimony indicated that the subject property, known as 15906 Falls Road, was part of a 12.00 acre tract zoned R.C. 2 located off of Falls Road, and is designated as Parcel 3 on Petitioner's Exhibit 1. Said property consists of 4.00 acres which Petitioner purchased by deed dated November 7, 1986. Mr. McGee testified that at the time of purchase, he understood the property was a buildable lot and he subsequently obtained all necessary financing for the construction of a home. However, upon application for building permit approval by the Zoning Office, he was adivsed that the subdivision of the 12.00 acres into the three lots was an illegal subdivision as the R.C. 2 classification permits subdividing into only two lots. Through his Counsel, Mr. McGee argued that the spirit and intent of the zoning regulations can be met as one of the two parcels will not be used for residential development purposes and has a common owner with an adjoining lot which is improved with a dwelling.

To support Petitioner's position, the following history of the subject property was presented. In 1932, by deed dated March 15, 1932, the subject 12.00 acres and an additional 2.00 acres more or less were purchased by Levy and Bessie Curtis. Subsequently, by deed dated May 6, 1971, Bessie A. Curtis, then a widow, transferred 1.451 acres of the 14.00 acras more or less to her son, Thomas Curtis and Dorothy R. Curtis, his wife. Said parcel is identified as Parcel A on Petitioner's Exhibit 1. Thereafter, .7 acres of the remaining acreage was deeded to the Politimore Gas and Electr . Company in 1973. At that time, there remained 12.00 acres more or less. Bessie Curtis passed away in February, 1983 and by will divided the property among her three children. On August 17, 1984, the three children filed a deed in lieu of partition in the Land Records of Baltimore County dividing the remaining 12.00 acres illegally into three parcels. Testimony presented by Petitioners indicated that since 1984, there has been no construction on any of the three parcels. Parcel 1 was given to the daughter, Martha Kohler who has since passed away and left Parcel 1 to Thomas Curtis' daughters. Parcel 2 was deeded to Thomas Curtis, the adjoining property owner of Parcel A and Parcel 3 was deeded to Martha Kohler as Trustee for her brother, Harry Curtis. Parcel 3 was subsequently sold in 1984 to Petitioner's predecessor in interest. The division of the property into three (3) lots is an illegal subdivision in violation of Section 1A01.3 of the B.C.Z.R. No evadence to the contrary was presented by Petitioners. Petitioner argued that since the regulations permit two density units on the property, if there is a merging of Parcel A with Parcel 2 by a non-density transfer of the 4.00 acres of

Parcel 2 to Parcel A, the requirements of the zoning regulations will be met as Parcels 1 and 3 will remain. Petitioner argued he will then be able to build on the property he purchased at considerable expense.

As explained at the hearing, the relief requested by Petitioners involves property rights of individuals who have not joined in the Petition. 7: the hearing held on August 25, 1989, the case was left open to permit Petitioners the opportunity to have the property owner of Parcel 2, Thomas R. Curtis, consent to the designation of Parcel 2 as a non-density transfer of 4.0 acres and verify that Parcel 1 contains only one dwelling. On January 8, 1990, the Petitioner contacted the Zoning Commissioner's Office and advised that no additional evidence and/or documentation would be submitted.

After due consideration of the testimony and evidence presented, the relief requested must be denied as all necessary parties have not joined in the letition. The subdivision of the property in August 1984 into three (3) lots was an illegal subdivision. To grant the relief requested, the non-density transfer of the 4.00 acres, or Parcel 2, to Parcel A, as depicted in Petitioner's Exhibit 1, would require the participation of the owner of said parcels.

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the property, and hearing held on the Petition, in the opinion of the Deputy Zoning Commissioner, the relief requested in the Petition for Special Hearing should be

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this _____day of January, 1990 that the Petition for Special Hearing to approve the non-density transfer of 4.00 acres to an adjoining property owner and to establish not more than two lots from a 12.00 acre parcel in an R.C. 2 zone, in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 1, be and is hereby DENIED; and,

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that no permits shall be issued and/or approved by the Zoning Commissioner's Office for the Parcels known as 1. 2, and 3, as set forth in Petitioner's Exhibit 1, without a special hearing determining the appropriateness of same and/or approval of the Zoning Commissioner and/or Deputy Zoning Commissioner after submission of appropriate documentation.

> (M N- Lucy ANN M. NASTAROWICZ Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

* BEFORE THE APPLICATION OF DENNIS G. MCGEE COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS

FOR A SPECIAL HEARING ON PROPERTY LOCATED ON THE WEST SIDE OF FALLS ROAD, 2500' SOUTH OF THE CENTERLINE OF

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IN THE MATTER OF THE

herein.

BENSON MILL ROAD (15406 FALLS * BALTIMORE COUNTY * CASE NO. 90-62-SPH 5TH ELECTION DISTRICT 3RD COUNCILMANIC DISTRICT * * * *

This is an appeal from the decision of the Deputy Zoning Commissioner's Order dated January 11, 1990 wherein Petitioner's Special Hearing request was denied. Specifically, the Petitioner is requesting non-density transfer of 4.00 acres to an adjoining property owner and to establish not more than two (2) lots from a 12.00 acre parcel in an RC-2 zone. The appeal to this Board is de novo. This decision is based upon the evidence and testimony presented to this Board including the stipulation of facts, proffers of testimony made by the Appellant and exhibits filed

The Appellant appeared and testified in these proceedings represented by Counsel, Hurst R. Hessey, Esquire. Petitioner also produced the testimony of Michael B. Dallas, a registered surveyor, who offered the plat of the subject property into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit No. 1. Deputy People's Counsel, Peter Max Zimmerman, Esquire, also participated in these proceedings and offered the testimony of Wallace S. Lippincott, Jr., Community Planner with the Office of Planning and Zoning.

The subject property is known as 15906 Falls Road and consists of part of a 12-acre tract presently zoned RC-2 located off of

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Falls Road in northern Baltimore County. The Board has designated this property as Parcel 3 on Petitioner's Exhibit No. 1. This parcel is four (4) acres in size, which was purchased by the Petitioner in November, 1986. The proffers made to this Board indicate that the Petitioner believed he was purchasing a buildable lot at the time of purchase since it had passed percolation and had a well already in place. It was when he made application for a building permit approval that he was informed by County authorities that his parcel was part of an illegal subdivision of the 12 acres into three (3) separate lots since an RC-2 zoning classification only permits two (2) lots. Petitioner offered into evidence an agreed stipulation of facts which sets out the history of the 12acre tract, its subdivision, and the various deeds transferring interests to parts of the property. This history is also set out in the opinion of the Deputy Zoning Commissioner dated January 11, 1990. It is clear to this Board and also agreed to by Counsel that the subdivision of the property into three (3) lots was an illegal subdivision in violation of Section 1A01.3 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (BCZR).

Because the property is zoned RC-2, only two (2) density units under the Zoning Regulations are permitted on the entire property consisting of 12 acres. The Petitioner is desperately requesting that he receive relief from this Board to permit him to build on his lot. Unfortunately, this Board cannot grant the relief requested by the Petitioner in these proceedings.

Mr. Wallace S. Lippincott, Jr. of the Office of Planning and

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Zoning testified that his department has reviewed this matter and that the Zoning Regulations only permit two (2) density units for the entire tract of property and not three (3) as the illegal subdivision so suggests. The present zoning posture of the entire property is considered one tract with the potential for two (2) parcels and only two (2) density units. This Board is unable to grant the relief requested by the Petitioner for the same reasons as given by the Deputy Zoning Commissioner below. As was aptly stated by the Deputy Zoning Commissioner, the property rights of other individuals are involved in these proceedings, which individuals have not been joined in the Petition. It is clear that the consent of the other property owner, Thomas R. Curtis, to a non-density transfer of 4.0 acres with his parcel of property is necessary. Counsel for the Petitioner proffered to this Board that Mr. Curtis, who was present at the hearing but did not testify, had no objections to the granting of the building permit for the Petitioner's property, but would not consent to or join in Petitioner's Petition requesting the non-density transfer of Petitioner's property with his property.

Because the subdivision of the property was illegal and because the necessary parties have not joined in with the Petitioner with his request for the non-density transfer, the relief requested cannot be granted.

While this Board would like to grant the Petitioner relief, it simply cannot do so. This Board is charged with the responsibility of upholding the Zoning Regulations for Baltimore County which do not permit Petitioner's request. Petitioner may have relief by way of a civil action filed in the Circuit Court for Dennis G. McGee, Case No. 90-62-SPH

Baltimore County for damages or, in the alternative, to set aside the deed conveyance to him. Further, he may be entitled to relief pursuant to Section 22-44 of the Baltimore County Code which seems to apply to the factual circumstances in this case.

For the reasons as set out above, it is this _____ day of August , 1990 by the County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County ORDERED that the Petition for Special Hearing to approve the non-density transfer of 4 acres to an adjoining property owner and to establish not more than two (2) lots from a 12-acre parcel in an RC-2 zone, be and the same is hereby DENIED, and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that no permits shall be issued and/or approved by the Zoning Commissioner's office for the parcels known as 1, 2, and 3 as set forth in Petitioner's Exhibit No. 1, without a special hearing determining the appropriateness of same and/or approval of the Zoning Commissioner after submission of appropriate documentation.

Any appeal from this decision must be made in accordance with Rules B-1 through B-13 of the Maryland Rules of Procedure.

> COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS OF BALTIMORE COUNTY Michael B. Sauer, Acting Chairman

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND
INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO: Zoning Advisory Committee DATE: June 22, 1989

FROM: Robert W. Bowling, P.E.

RE: Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting for June 13, 1989

The Developers Engineering Division has reviewed the subject zoning items and we have no comments for Items 493, 514, 517, 520, 521, 522, 524, 528, 529, 531, and 532.

For Item 511, the mi imum panhandle width for one lot is 20 feet, not 1 feet as shown on the plan.

For Items 513, 516 and 533 the previous County Review Group Comments still apply.

For Item [519] all lots must have in-fee frontage to a public road.

For Item 530, comments are attache

Developers Engineering Division

Encl.

Baltimore County Zoning Commissioner
Office of Planning & Zoning Towson, Maryland 21204 (301) 887-3353

J. Robert Haines Zoning Commissioner



Dennis F. Rasmussen
County Executive

Baltimore County Board of Appeals County Office Building, Room 315 Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: Petition for Special Hearing W/S Falls Road, 2500 'S of the c/1 of Benson Mill Road (15906 Falls Road) 5th Election District, 3rd Councilmanic District DENNIS G MCGEE - Petitioner

Dear Board:

Case No. 30-62-SPH

Please be advised that an appeal of the above-referenced case was filed in this office on February 8, 1990 by Hurst R. Hessey, Attorney on behalf of the Petitioner. All materials relative to the case are being forwarded herewith.

Please notify all parties to the case of the date and time of the appeal hearing when it has been scheduled. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact this office.

J. ROBERT HAINES Zoning Commissioner

February 20, 1990

cc: Dennis G. McGee, 2513 Whitehall Road, Whitehall, MD 21161 Hurst R. Hessey, Hessey & Hessey, 1311 Fidelity Building, Charles and Lexington Streets, Baltimore, MD 21201

Michael B. Dallas, Suite 200, 24 W. Pennsylvania Avenue, Towson, MD 21204

People's Counsel of Baltimore County Rm. 304, County Office Bldg., Towson, Md. 21204 MAHLON W. HESSET DANIEL M. TWOMEY HURST R. HESSEY

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Gentlemen:

February 7, 1990

Baltimore County Zoning Commissioner Office of Planning & Zoning Towson, Maryland 21204 ATTN: Appeals Division

RE: 15906 Falls Road Case No.: 90-62-SPH

We now represent the Petitioner, Dennis McGee, in the captioned matter. Please accept this letter as our notice of Appeal of the decision entered in this matter on January 11, 1990. Enclosed is our check in the amount of \$150.00 for filing fees.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

Enclosure cc: Mr. Dennis McGee HRH/eal 1tzoncom.207

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

DATE: August 11, 1989

J. Robert Haines Zoning Commissioner

Pat Keller, Deputy Director Office of Planning and Zoning

Dennis G. McGee, Item 519 SUBJECT: Zoning Petition No. 90-62-SPH

The petitioner requests a special hearing for a non-density transfer in a RC-2 zone. In reference to this request, staff offers the following comments:

This office does not support the requested petition. The property is in a rural-agricultural area which provides for a minimum of subdivision as provided for in BCZR 1A01.3.B.1. If, however, this issue is resolved through other mechanisms, the following recommendations should be addressed on a plat:

- 1. Dwellings will be located in a manner to permit the maximum retention of agricultural value to the remainder of the property and adjacent properties;
- 2. When possible the dwelling should not be located on prime or productive soils;
- 3. Building setbacks should be a minimum of 100 feet from a lot line which borders farmland in active use or having prime or productive soils; and
- 4. Falls Road is a major collector and the access to these properties must be through an existing curb cut to prevent the need for a new curb cut.

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STIPULATION OF FACTS

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TO: (Name, Address & County) Mr. Thomas Curtis 15902 Falls Road Sparks, Maryland 21152	·	APPEAL
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO: (x) Personally appear; () Personally appear and produce documents or objects; at County Office Building, 111 W. Chesapeake Ave., Room	Produce documents an	d or objects only; (2)
at County Office Building, III w. Chesapeanous (Place where attendance is required)		

the 17th day of August YOU ARE COMMANDED TO produce the following documents or objects:

Subpoena requested by () Plaintiff; (:) Defendant; and any questions should be referred to: , Petitioner Hurst R. Hessey, 1311 Fidelity Building, Baltimore, Maryland 21201, 301-539-3300 (Name of Party or Attorney, Address and Phone Number) Board of Appeals

(1) YOU ARE LIABLE TO BODY ATTACHMENT AND FINE FOR FAILURE TO OBEY THIS SUBPOENA. (2) This subpoena shall remain in effect until you are granted leave to depart by the Court or by an officer acting on behalf (3) If this subpoena is for attendance at a deposition and the party served is an organization, notice is hereby given that the organization must designate a person to testify pursuant to Rule 2-412(d).

SHERIFF'S RETURN ()—Served and copy delivered on date indicated below.

()—Unserved, by reason of

Original and one copy needed for each witness

5th Election District 3rd Councilmanic District DENNIS G. McGEE, Petitioner :::::::

RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING

W/S Falls Rd., 2500' S of C/L

Benson Mill Rd. (15906 Falls Rd.):

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

Please enter the appearance of the People's Counsel in the abovecaptioned matter. Notices should be sent of any hearing dates or other proceedings in this matter and of the passage of any preliminary or final

> Phyllis Cole Friedman People's Counsel for Baltimore County

Peter Max Zimmerman Deputy People's Counsel Room 304, County Office Building 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Towon, Maryland 21204 887-2188

: BEFORE THE COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS

OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

: Case No. 90-62-SPH

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 27th day of February, 1990, a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to Hurst R. Hessey, Esquire, Hessey & Hessey, 1311 Fidelity Bldg., 210 N. Charles St., Baltimore, MD 21201, Attorney for Petitioner/Appellant.

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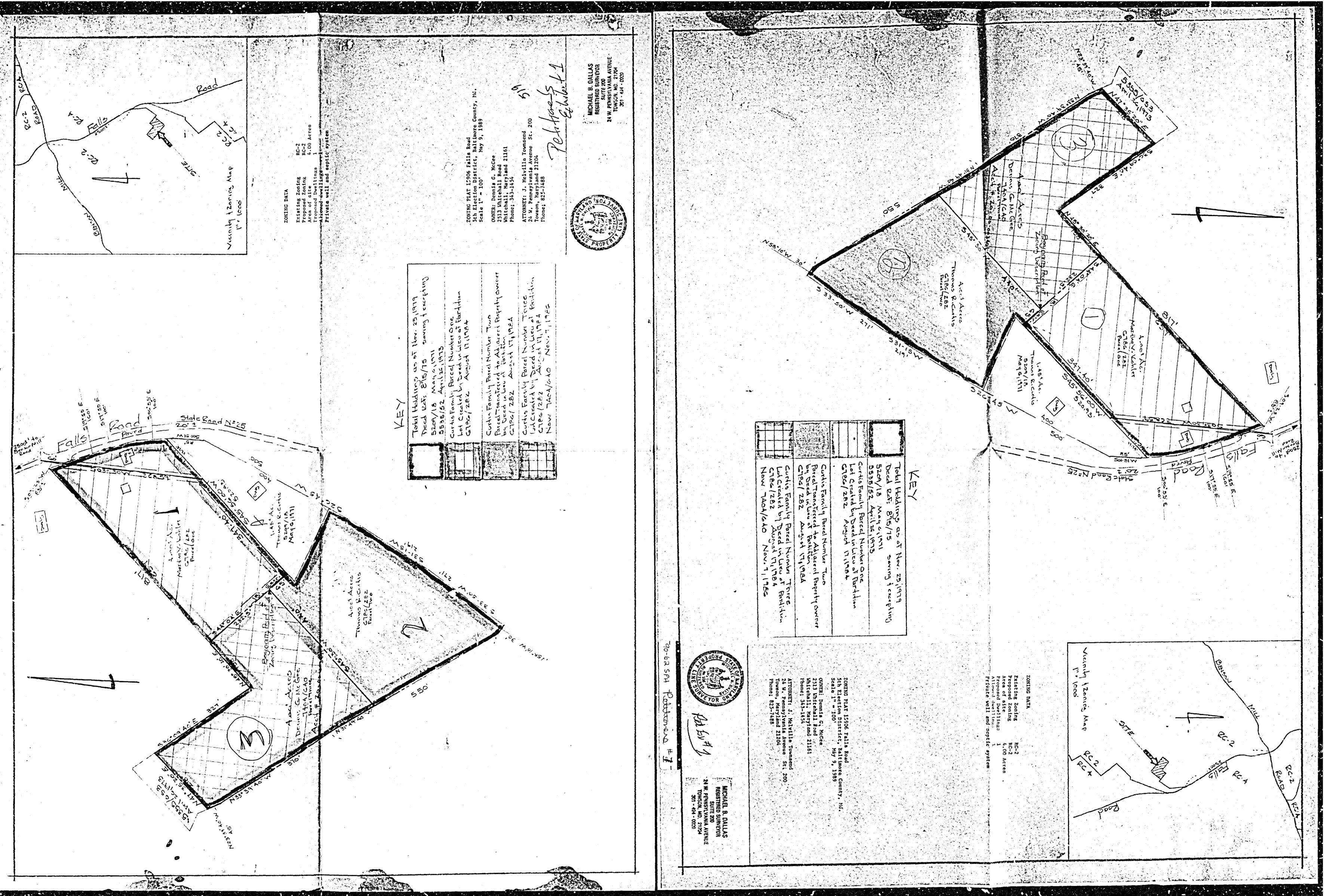
Case No. R-90-172 THOMAS J. GRAZIANO, ET UX

Heir's building plans proceed in northern Baltimore County but was prevented from building a home on it because of a change in county zoning laws may finally have found a way

to take advantage of his R-90-172 good fortune.
Thomas Graziano has obtained approval from the county Board of Appeals and planning board to build a house on the six acres he inherited on Freeland Road near Middletown

He inherited the land in 1981 after the death of Lizzetta Bedgar. She provided that her 20-acre plot be split in two, one for her grandron and six acres for Graziano. Although the zoning on the land had for Graziano. Although the zoning on the relationship of the reparted in 1976, never changed since the will was prepared in 1976, the county changed the meaning of the RC-2 zone in 1979 to allow only one house per 50 acres. Thus, after the grandson built a house, no density was left for Graziano to use for his own. He's been trying to find a way to get a building permit for the last several years, once going to Circuit Court only to have his hopes dashed. The board has approved changing the zoning to The board has approved changing the zoning to RC-5, which permits one house per acre, and the board noted that Graziano promised the planning board that he would apply to change the zoning back to RC-2, to prevent any more building, once he got his building permit for one house. The board also provided that if he falls to keep his promise, the County

noted that if he fails to keep his promise, the County Council can change the zoning back anyway in 1992.



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IN THE

CIRCUIT COURT

BALTIMORE COUNTY

PEOPLE'S COUNSEL FOR BALTIMORE

THOMAS JEROME GRAZIANO, et al Appellees

VS.

This case came before the Court on November 16, 1987, on People's Counsel for Baltimore County's appeal from the order of the County Board of Appeas dated March 1, 1988. The Board's decision on this matter was that the Petition for Special Hearing should be granted, providing a stipulation be entered among the Land Records of Baltimore County that so long as the zoning remains R.C. 2 no further subdividing or building permits will be permitted.

OPINION

The facts in this case are that Lizetta Bedgar owned a large farm in northern Baltimore County. In 1976, she parceled off through the subdivision process nine parcels, some of which were sold and some of which went to relatives. She retained title to what is known as Tract A, consisting of some 21.7 acres. At that time, she made known, through the preparation of her will, that upon her death two further parcels were to be allocated, one to her grandson and one to Mr. Graziano. In 1979, the R.C. 2 regulations took effect and Tract A containing the 21 plus acres thereupon became a single parcel, even though it was her avowed intention to allot the two six-acre parcels to her grandson and to her employee. In 1981 Mrs. Bedgar passed away. As was stated in her will, the

> MICHAEL B. DALLAS Registered Surveyor

> > 494-0020

SUITE 200

24 W. PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE

TOWSON, MD. 21204

ZONING DESCRIPTION 15906 Falls Road

BEGINNING for the same at a point distantsoutherly 2500 feet more or less, South 09 degrees 25 minutes west 85.00 feet, South 03 degrees 30 minutes west 368.69 feet, South 45 degrees 56 minutes west 347.40 feet and North 44 degrees 04 minutes 65.00 feet from the intersection of the centerline of Falls Road (State Route No. 25) with the centerline of Benson Mill Road,

- thence running the eight following courses and distances, viz; 1. South 45 degrees 30 minutes west 440.00 feet,
 - 2. North 31 degrees 49 minutes 40 seconds west 140.00 feet, 3. North 33 degrees 39 minutes 40 seconds west 370.00 feet, 4. North 23 degrees 39 minutes 40 seconds west 45.00 feet,
- 5. North 47 degrees 35 minutes 29 seconds east 218.00 feet,
- 6. South 36 degrees 09 minutes 40 seconds east 327.00 feet, 7. North 45 degrees 35 minutes 20 seconds east 158.00 feet and
- 8. South 44 degrees 04 minutes east 232.50 feet to the place of beginning.

CONTAINING 4.00 acres of land more or less.

May 9, 1989

trustee of her estate distributed the lots, one to the grandson and one to Mr. Graziano. Mr. Graziano applied for a building permit and said permit was denied because Tract A was zoned R.C.2 and two houses had already been developed.

The County Board of Appeals reversed the Zoning Commissioner stating that since Mr. Graziano assumed in 1976 that he would receive a viable inhecitance, that it would be arbitrary for the Board to deny him the building permit making the 5 plus acre parcel a viable use of land. The Appellee (Thomas Graziano) also argues that Section 22-42(4) of the Baltimore County Code exempts this property from the requirements of R.C. 2 zoning.

This Court, although sympathetic to Mr. Graziano under the facts, doesn't feel that the Board has properly interpreted the law. The controlling statutory authority is Baltimore County Zoning Regulation 1A01.3B1. It states that no lot of record lying within an R.C. 2 zone and having a gross area between 2 and 100 acres may be subdivided into more than 2 lots. Despite Mrs. Bedgar's intention, she has no right to change the law merely by writing a will which contains intentions contrary to the law existing at the time of her death. As to Appellee's argument that Section 22-42(4) of the Baltimore County Code exempts this property from R.C. 2 zoning requirements, this section exempts such properties from having to go through the County Review Group, but has no effect on the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations.

While the Board of Appeals could not legally grant Mr. Graziano the relief he desires under the law, he may yet be able to obtain permission to build a home on his property. Certainly,

MAHLON W. HESSEY DANIEL M. TWOMEY HURST R. HESSEY

HESSEY & HESSEY ATTORNEYS AT LAW 1311 FIDELITY BUILDING CHARLES AND LEXINGTON STREETS BALTIMORE, MARYLAND 21201 TELEPHONE: (301) 539-3300 FAX: (301) 539-3305

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VIA MAGIC MESSENGER

February 7, 1990

Baltimore County Zoning Commissioner Office of Planning & Zoning Towson, Maryland 21204 ATTN: Appeals Division

Gentlemen:

15906 Falls oad Case No.: 90-62-SPH

We now represent the Petitioner, Dennis McGee, in the captioned matter. Please accept this letter as our notice of Appeal of the decision entered in this matter on January 11, 1990. Enclosed is our check in the amount of \$150.00 for filing fees.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to call.

> Sincerely, mit Hom Hurst R. Hessey

Enclosure cc: Mr. Dennis McGee HRH/eal 1tzoncom.207

ZONING OFFICE

Mr. Graziano can request a special exception to the zoning regulation in the form of a documented site plan-

In summary, on review of the evidence and the law this Court finds the County Board of Appeals' order to be contrary to the law. Accordingly the decision of the County Board of Appeals is reversed.

Copies sent to:

Phyllis Cole Friedman, Esquire Peter Max Zimmerman, Esquire Jeffrey H. Gray, Esquire County Board of Appeals

Appellees to pay the costs.

Baltimore County Zoning Commissioner
Office of Planning & Zoning
Towson, Maryland 21204 (301) 887-3353 J. Robert Haines
Zoning Commissioner

January 11, 1990

J. Melville Townsend, Esquire 24 W. Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 200 Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING W/S Falls Road, 2500' S of the c/l of Benson Mill Road (15906 Falls Road) 5th Election District - 3rd Councilmanic District Dennis G. McGee - Petitioner

Dear Mr. Townsend:

Case No. 90-62-SPH

Enclosed please find a copy of the decision rendered in the above-captioned matter. The Petition for Special Hearing has been denied in accordance with the attached Order.

In the event any party finds the decision rendered is unfavorable, any party may file an appeal to the County Board of Appeals within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order. For further information on filing an appeal, please contact Ms. Charlotte Radcliffe at 887-3391.

> Very truly yours, ANN M. NASTAROWICZ Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

AMN:bjs

cc: Mr. Dennis McGee, 3728 Ballahack Road Chesapeake, Virginia 23322

Mr. Thomas R. Curtis 15902 Falls Road, Upperco, Md. 21155 People's Counsel

File

CERTIFICATE OF POSTING ZONING DEPARTMENT OF BALTIMORE COUNTY - 90-62-5PH.

Date of Posting August 8 - 82. Dennie F. Mc Lee ocation of property. W/S of Falls Road, 2500'S of the C/L
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PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING

TO THE ZONING COMPASSIONER OF BALTIMORE COUNTY: The undersigned, legal owner(s) of the property situate in Baltimore County and which is described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a description and hereby petition an

A non-density transfer of 4.00 acres to an adjoining property owner and to---establish not more than two lots from a 12.00 acre parcel in a BC-2 Zone

Property is to be posted and advertised as prescribed by Zoning Regulations.

I, or we, agree to pay expenses of the above Special Hearing advertising, posting, etc., upon filing of this Petition, and further agree to and ere to be bound by the zoning regulations and restriction of Petitions. tions of Baltimore County adopted pursuant to the Zoning Law for Baltimore County.

I/We do solemnly declare and affirm under the penalties of perjury, that 1/we are the legal owner(s) of the property which is the subject of this Petition.

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO: Office of the Zoning Commissioner Date: September 21, 1990

LindaLee M. Kuszmaul FROM: County Board of Appeals Closed Files

SUBJECT: Case Nos. 90-165-A (Francis J. Walker, et ux) and 90-62-SPH (Dennis G. McGee)

As no further appeals have been taken regarding the subject cases, we have closed the files and are returning same to you herewith.

Attachments

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Hearing Date: Friday, Aug. 25, 1989 at 11:30

J. ROBERT HAINES

Baltimore County Zoning Commissioner Office of Planning & Zoning Towson, Maryland 21204

J. Robert Haines Zoning Commissioner

(301) 887-3353

Dennis G. McGee 2513 Whitehall Road Whitehall, Maryland 21161

> Petition for Special Hearing CASE NUMBER: 90-62-5PH W/S Falls Road, 2500' S of c/l of Benson Mill Road 15906 Falls Road

5th Election District - 3rd Councilmanic Petitioner(s): Dennis G. McGee HEARING SCHEDULED: FRIDAY, AUGUST 25, 1989 at 11:30 a.m.

Dear Mr. McGee:

Please be advised that \$125.05 is due for advertising and posting of the above captioned property.

THIS FEE MUST BE PAID AND THE ZONING SIGN & POST SET(5)
RETURNED ON THE DAY OF THE HEARING OR THE ORDER SHALL NOT ISSUE. DO NOT REMOVE THE SIGN & POST SET(S) FROM THE PROPERTY UNTIL THE DAY OF THE HEARING.

Please make your check payable to Baltimore County, Maryland. Bring the check and the sign & post set(s) to the Zoning Office, County Office Building, 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue, Room 113, Towson, Maryland fifteen (15) minutes before your hearing is scheduled to begin.

Be advised that should you fail to return the sign & post set(s), there will be an additional \$50.00 added to the above amount for each such set not returned.

cc: J. Melville Townsend, Esq.

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

Baltimore County

(301) 887-3353

J. Robert Haines

Zoning Commissioner
Office of Flanning & Zoning

J. Melville Townsend, Esquire

(15906 Falls Road)

Case No. 90-62-SPH

Dear Mr. Townsend:

C: Case File

Towson, Maryland 21204

24 W. Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 200

Dennis G. McGee - Petitioner

W/S Falls Road, 2500' S of the c/l of Benson Mill Road

based upon the testimony and evidence presented at the hearing.

call me. Thank you for your attention in this matter.

As you know, a hearing was held on the above-captioned matter on

If you have any questions on the subject, please feel free to

Very truly yours,

ANN M. NASTAROWICZ

for Baltimore County

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Deputy Zoning Commissioner

August 25, 1989 at which time you indicated you would be providing addi-

tional information in support of this request. This matter remains open

pending the receipt of said information. If no word is heard from you

within 15 days of the date of this letter, a decision will be rendered

5th Election District - 3rd Councilmanic District

RE: Petition for Special Hearing

Towson, Maryland 21204

TOWSON, MD. 1989 THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that the annexed advertisement was

published in TOWSON TIMES, a weekly newspaper published in Towson, Baltimore County, Md., once in each of ____ successive weeks, the first publication appearing on luquet 3. 1987.

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MICHAEL B. DALLAS Registered Surveyor SUITE 200 24 W. PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE TOWSON, MD. 21204

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ZONING DESCRIPTION 15906 Falls Road

BEGINNING for the same at a point distantsoutherly 2500 feet more or less, South 09 degrees 25 minutes west 85.00 feet, South 03 degrees 30 minutes west 368.69 feet, South 45 degrees 56 minutes west 347.40 feet and North 44 degrees 04 minutes 65.00 feet from the intersection of the centerline of Falls Road (State Route No. 25) with the centerline of Benson Mill Road, thence running the eight following courses and distances, viz;

1. South 45 degrees 30 minutes west 440.00 feet. 2. North 31 degrees 49 minutes 40 seconds west 140.00 feet.

3. North 33 degrees 39 minutes 40 seconds west 370.00 feet. 4. North 23 degrees 39 minutes 40 seconds west 45.00 feet. 5. North 47 degrees 35 minutes 29 seconds east 218.00 feet. 6. South 36 degrees 09 minutes 40 seconds east 327.00 feet,

7. North 45 degrees 35 minutes 20 seconds east 158.00 feet and 8. South 44 degrees 04 minutes east 232.50 feet to the place of beginning.

CONTAINING 4.00 acres of land more or less.

May 9, 1989

Baltimore County Zoning Commissioner
Office of Planning & Zoning Towson, Maryland 21204 (301) 887-3353 J. Robert Haines

July 14, 1989

NOTICE OF HEARING



The Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, by authority of the Zoning Act and Regulations of Baltimore County will hold a public hearing on the property identified herein in Room 106 of the County Office Building, located at 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue in Towson, Maryland as follows:

Petition for Special Hearing CASE NUMBER: 90-62-SPH W/S Falls Road, 2500' S of c/l of Benson Mill Road 15906 Falls Road 5th Election District - 3rd Councilmanic Petitioner(s): Dennis G. McGee HEARING SCHEDULED: FRIDAY, AUGUST 25, 1989 at 11:30 a.m.

Special Hearing: A non-density transfer of 4.00 acres to an adjoining property owner and to establish not more than two lots from a 12.00 acre parcel in a RC-2 Zone.

In the event that this Petition is granted, a building permit may be issued within the thirty (30) day appeal period. The Zoning Commissioner will, however, entertain any request for a stay of the issuance of said permit during this period for good cause shown. Such request must be in writing and received in this office by the date of the hearing set above or presented at the hearing.

> ZONING COMMISSIONER BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

cc: Dennis G. McGee J. Melville Townsend, Esq. File

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County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County COUNTY OFFICE BUILDING, ROOM 315 111 W. CHESAPEAKE AVENUE TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204 (301) 887-3180

August 21, 1990

Hurst R. Hessey, Esquire Hessey & Hessey 1311 Fidelity Building Charles and Lexington Streets Baltimore, Maryland 21201

Re: Case No. 90-62-SPH (Dennis G. McGee)

Dear Mr. Hessey:

Enclosed please find a copy of the final Opinion and Order issued

this date by the County Board of Appeals in the subject matter.

Legal Secretary

Enclosure

cc: Mr. Dennis G. McGee Mr. Michael B. Dallas People's Counsel for Baltimore County P. David Fields Pat Keller J. Robert Haines Ann M. Nastarowicz James E. Dyer W. Carl Richards, Jr. Docket Clerk - Zoning Arnold Jablon, County Attorney

5/2/90 - Following parties notified of hearing set for August 17, 1990 at 10:00 a.m.:

Hurst R. Pessey, Esq. Mr. Dennis G. McGee Michael B. Dallas People's Counsel P. David Fields Pat Keller J. Robert Haines Ann M. Nastarcwicz James E. Dyer W. Carl Richards, Jr. Docket Clerk - Zoning Arnold Jablon

J. MELVILLE TOWNSEND Attorney At Law SUITE 200 24 W. PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204

(301) 825-7488

May 10, 1989

RE: Petition for Special Hearing Dennis G. McGee 4.00 Acres - Falls Road

The following is an explanation of the devolution of title to the 12:00 Acres of land owned by BESSIE A. CURTIS, widow, on November 25, 1979:

By Deed dated March 15, 1932 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber LMcLM No. 895 folio 75, William N. Pereguy conveyed a 14.16 acre tract to Levi T. Curtis and Bessie A. Curtis, as tenants by the entireties. The said Levi T. Curtis died June 18, 1961, thereby vesting title in his widow, the said Bessia A. Curtis.

By Deed dated May 6, 1971, Bessie A. Curtis conveyed the 1.451 acre parcel to her son, Thomas Robert Curtis (see Plat Attached). O.T.G.5209-18.

The Gas Company widened the Susquehanna Transmission line along the north west side of the larger tract and by Deed dated April 26, 1973, Bessie A. Curtis conveyed a 0.7 acre widening strip to Bankers Trust Trustee and B. G. & E. Co., said Deed being recorded in Liber E.H.K.Jr. No. 5355 folio 52 (see Plat attached).

As a result, as of November 25, 1979, Bessia A. Curtis was seized of the 12.00 acre tract outlined in Yellow on the attached Plat.

Bessie A. Curtis departed this life, testate, on or about February 25, 1983, seized and possessed of the 12.00 acre tract outlined in yellow. By her Last Will and Testament, duly admitted to probate by the Orphans' Court for Baltimore County (Estate No. 51845), the subject 12.00 acre tract was devised to the three children of Bessie A. Curtis, THOMAS ROBERT CURTIS, MARTHA VIRGINIA KOHLER and HARRY LEVI CURTIS. By Deed of Distribution dated February 4, 1984 and recorded in Liber E.H.K.Jr. No. 6671 folio 814, the Personal Representative of the Estate of the said Bessie A. Curtis, deceased, distributed and conveyed the 12.00 acre tract the the said three children in accordance with the terms of the Will of their mother, the Grantees taking as tenants in common.

Subsequently, on August 17, 1984, the said three children, in an effort to avoid an Equity Partition Suit in the Circuit Court for Baltimore County dividing the property up between the parties in kind (into 3 seperate 4.00 acre parcels), a right to which each of the children held absolutely, the three came to an agreement whereby they would convey the 4.00 acres outlined in GREEN to THOMAS ROBERT CURTIS as convey the 4.00 acres outlined in onben to indicate the that which the adjoining property owner (i.e. the lands adjacent to that which his mother conveyed to him in 1971 by Deed O.T.G. No. 5209 folio 18, supra.

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HEARING ROOM - Room 301

County Office Building

County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County COUNTY OFFICE BUILDING

111 W. CHESAPEAKE AVENUE TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204 (301) 3530032501 887-3180 May 2, 1990

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT

NO POSTPONEMENTS WILL BE GRANTED WITHOUT GOOD AND SUFFICIENT REASONS. REQUESTS FOR POSTPONEMENTS MUST BE IN WRITING AND IN STRICT COMPLIANCE WITH BOARD RULE 2(b). NO POSTPONEMENTS WILL BE GRANTED WITHIN FIFTEEN (15) DAYS OF SCHEDULED HEARING

DATE UNLESS IN FULL COMPLIANCE WITH RULE 2(c), COUNTY COUNCIL BILL NO. 59-79. CASE NO. 90-62-SPH DENNIS G. MCGEE

W/s Falls Rd., 2500' S of c/l of Benson Mill Road (15906 Falls Rd.) 5th Election District

3rd Councilmanic District SPH-nondensity transfer 4.0 acre to adjoining property owner/to establish not more than 2 lots from 12-acre parcel

1/11/90 - D.Z.C.'s Order DENYING Potition FRIDAY, AUGUST 17, 1990 at 10:00 a.m.

cc: Hurst R. Hessey, Esquire Counsel for Petitioner/Appellant Mr. Dennis G. McGee Michael B. Dallas People's Counsel for Baltimore County

P. David Fields Pat Keller J. Robert Haines Anr. M. Nastarowicz James E. Dyer W. Carl Richards, Jr. Docket Clerk - Zoning

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IN RE: PETITION SPECIAL HEARING NW/S of Freeland Road, 2,048' NE of Middletown Road -6th Election District

> Thomas Jerome Graziano, et ux, Petitioners

ZONING COMMISSIONER

OF BALTIMORE COUNTY_ JUL1 0 1907 > * * * * * * * * * * * *

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The Petitioners herein request confirmation for three building two building lots would otherwise be permitted, as more particularly described on Petitioners' Exhibit 1.

The Petitioners appeared and testified and were represented by Counsel. Phyllis Cole Friedman, People's Counsel, and Harold Lloyd, a neighbor, also appeared in opposition.

Testimony indicated that the subject property, located on Freeland Road and zoned R.C.2, consists of approximately 30 acres and was part of a much larger tract owned by the Bedgar family, which was subdivided in 1976 and approved by Baltimore County as Spring Valley Farms, Section 1. This subdivision, however, excluded the lots which are the subject of this Petition.

By will, in or around 1977, Mrs. Bedgar subdivided the remaining parcel, known as Tract A, leaving the lots to the Petitioners herein, her son and grandson. The parcel identified as the "House Parcel" on Petitioners' Exhibit 1 consists of approximately 9.5 acres and is improved with an existing dwelling which has been sold. Two other lots shown thereon, containing approximately 6.3 acres and 5.9 acres, are the subject of this Petition. Mrs. Bedgar died in 1981, and the trustee of her estate distributed the lots in question to the Petitioner, as directed in her will. They now wish to develop the properties pursuant to Mrs. Bedgar's testamentary disposition.

The request would seem innocuous on the surface; certainly, an affirmative conclusion would have a minimal impact on the adjacent community. However, confirmation of the Petitioners' position would create a severe impact to the County. The issue, to coin a paraphrase, is whether to permit a gamewinning home run after the ballgame is over.

Under current zoning regulations, the property would be permitted two lots, one of which has already been utilized. The Petiticners argued that they should be permitted the two additional lots described on Petitioners' Exhibit 1, notwithstanding the current zoning. The basis for this argument is Section 22-1, Baltimore County Code (BCC), which defines "subdivision" as

> Subdivision na ans the division of a lot, tract or parcel of land into two or more lots...except, that the following divisions shall not be considered subdivisions...provided, that no new streets or roads are involved ... divisions of property by testamentary or intestate provisions...

They argued that the exemption from the defined term "subdivision" includes exemption from the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (BCZR). Unfortunately, Commissioner Ueberroth, nee Jablon, rules the alleged home run "foul"!

To rule in the Petitioners' favor would subvert the intent of the law and subject the County to a game known and played only in heaven. Section 22-1 cannot be read by itself but must be read in conjunction with Sections 22-39, 22-42(4), and 22-53, et seq., BCC.

The meaning of the plainest words in a statute may be controlled by the context. A statute should be so construed that all its parts harmonize with each other and render them consistent with its general object and scope. Pittman v. Housing Authority, 25 A.2d 466.

The basic principles of statutory construction were comprehensively set out by the Court of Appeals in State v. Fabritz, 276 Md. 416 (1975), cert. denied, 425 U.S. 942 (1976):

The cardinal rule in the construction of statutes is to effectuate the real and actual intention of the Legislature. Purifoy v. Merc.-Safe Dep. & Trust, 273 Md. 58, 327

A.2d 483 (1974); Scoville Serv., Inc. v. Comptroller, 269

Md. 390, 306 A.2d 534 (1973); Height v. State, 225 Md.

Md. 370 A.2d 212 (1961). Equally well settled is the principle that statutes are to be construed reasonably principle that statutes are to be construed reasonably principle that statutes are to be construed reasonably with reference to the purpose to be accomplished, Walker v. Montgomery County, 244 Md. 98, 223 A.2d 181 (1966), and in light of the evils or mischief sought to be remedied, Mitchell v. State, 115 Md. 360, 80 A.2d 1020 (1911); in other words, every statutory enactment must be considered in its entirety, and in the context of the purpose underlying [its] enactment, Giant of Md. v. State's
Attorney, 267 Md. 501 at 509, 298 A.2d 427, at 432 (1973).
Of course, a statute should be construed according to the ordinary and natural import of its language, since it is the language of the statute which constitutes the primary source for determining the legislative intent. Grosvenor v. Supervisor of Assess., 271 Md. 232, 315 A.2d 758 (1974); Height v. State, supra. Where there is no ambiguity or obscurity in the language of a statute, there is usually no need to look elsewhere to ascertain the intention of the Legislature. Purifoy v. Merc.-Safe Deposit & Trust, supra. Thus, where statutory language is plain and free from ambiguity and expresses a definite and sensible meaning, courts are not at liberty to disregard the natural import of words with a view towards making the statute express an intention which is different from its plain meaning. Gatewood v. State, 244 Md. 609, 224 A.2d 677 (1966). On the other hand, as stated in Maguire v. State, 192 Md. 615, 623, 65 A.2d 299, 302 (1949), '[a]dherence to the meaning of words does not require or permit isolation of words from their context'***[since] the meaning of the plainest words in a statute may be controlled by the context... In construing statutes, therefore, results that are unreasonable, illogical or inconsistent with common sense should be avoided whenever possible consistent with the statutory language, with the real legislative intention prevailing over the intention indicated by the literal meaning. B. F. Saul Co. v. West End Park, 250 Md. 707, 246 A.2d 591 (1968); Sanza v. Md. Board of Censors, 245 Md. 319, 226 A.2d 317

Sanza v. Md. Board of Celsors, (1967); Height v. State, supra. In applying these principles to the BCC, particularly those sections cited above, the conclusion is inescapable that the Petitioners' argument must fail.

The intent of the BCC must be determined after construing all of the sections as a whole. See Smith v. Miller, 249 Md. 390. Thus, the specific

language exempting testamentary dispositions from the definition of subdivision must be construed in light of all of those provisions concerning subdivision so that the several parts of those sections are given their intended effect. The relationship among those various provisions exempting such dispositions from being considered as subdivisions must be reconciled as a whole. See Smith, supra; Bowie Vol. Fire Dept. & Rescue Squad, Inc. v. Bd. of County Commissioners, 255 Md. 381; Anderson, American Law of Zoning, Section

Section 22-1 clearly exempts testamentary dispositions of property, where no new streets or roads are involved, from being considered a subdivision of such property. Indeed, the Baltimore County Council (Council) confirmed the intent of Section 22-1 in 1982 when it recodified and amended the development regulations, Section 22-37, BCC, et seq. Section 22-39 defines subdivision similarly to Section 22-1, but without the exemptions. Section 22-41, BCC, however, exempts subdivision of land for agricultural purposes, and Section 22-42(4) exempts subdivision of land pursuant to court order, will, or laws of interstate (sic) succession. The Council made its intentions cleartestamentary dispostion of property shall be exempt from the subdivision regulations delineated in the BCC. Such dispositions are not exempt from the BCZR. Section 22-42 exempts testamentary dispositions from division 2 of the Development Regulations, which sets forth the development review and approval process. In other words, division of land by will precludes the County from requiring the County Review Group (CRG) from reviewing and approving the development of such land. Building permits can be issued without the need for CRG review. It does not mean that such development need not comply with the BCZR in effect. The advantage to the Petitioners is still extreme, notwithstanding their failure to convince this Commissioner that they deserve all

that they are requesting. In a letter of advice dated November 4, 1980, the Office of Law responded to the same issue raised here by concluding that:

The zoning power, in its proper exercise is not concerned with the alienability of land, whatever the size of the parcel transferred. Zoning is solely concerned with the manner by which an owner attempts to utilize his land. Thus, although the Baltimore County zoning regulations can in no way interfere with the expectation of the testator's intention in transferring title to his property, the devisees assume title subject to the zoning regulations, with the usual legal recourse of application for variances, special exceptions, and reclassifications."

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the property, and public hearing on this Petition held, and for the reasons given above, the requested relief should not be granted.

Therefore, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, This 8^{2} day of July, 1987, that only two building lots are permitted and, as such, the Petition for Special Hearing is hereby DENIED.

AJ/srl

cc: Jeffrey H. Gray, Esquire Mr. Harold Lloyd People's Counsel

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF THOMAS JEROME GRAZIANO, ET UX FOR SPECIAL HEARING ON PROPERTY LOCATED ON THE NORTHWEST SIDE OF FREELAND ROAD, 2,048' NORTHEAST OF MIDDLETOWN ROAD 6th ELECTION DISTRICT 3rd COUNCILMANIC DISTRICT

BEFORE COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS

BALTIMORE COUNTY CASE NO. 87-478-SPH

OPINION

This case comes Lefore this Board on appeal from a decision of the Zoning Commissioner stating that only two building lots are to be permitted and that the Petition for Special Hearing to grant a building permit is denied.

This case is unique in the recallable history of this Board. All testimony and evidence presented in this case was so entered by stipulation and the history creates the uniqueness.

Lizetta Bedgar owned a large farm in northern Baltimore County. In 1976, she parceled off through the subdivision process nine parcels, some of which were sold and some of which went to relatives. She retained title to what is known as Tract A, consisting of some 21.7 acres. At that time, she made known that upon her death two further parcels were to be allocated, one to her grandson and one to a life-long employee, i.e., Mr. Graziano. In 1979, the R.C. 2 regulations took effect and Tract A containing the 21+ acres thereupon became a single parcel, even though it was her avowed intention to allot the two six-acre parcels to her grandson and to her employee.

In 1981 Mrs. Bedgar passed away. As was stated in her will, the trustee of her estate distributed the lots, one to the grandson and one to Mr. Graziano. These lots were surveyed, entered among the Land Records of Baltimore County, and entered on the tax rolls of Baltimore County in 1986.

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Mr. Graziano, understandably, assumed throughout this entire time that his bequest was for a buildable parcel of land. When he applied for a building permit, said permit was denied on the assumption that Tract A of 21+ acres was the parcel considered in the R.C. 2 zoning and since two houses have already been developed, a third one would not be allowed. Strict interpretation of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations regarding the R.C. zone verified this. Since Mr. Graziano in his mind assumed from as far back as 1976 that he was to receive a viable inheritance, it appears arbitrary for this Board to deny him the building permit making this 5+ acre parcel a viable use of the land. The legislative intent of the R.C. 2 regulations is well-documented in that the purpose of the R.C. 2 zoning is to deny haphazard, indiscriminate and objectionable development in our agricultural areas. To permit Mr. Graziano one residence on one 5+ acre tract does not seem to fall within these categories. As stated in Mr. Jablon's Opinion, on page 3, in quoting several cases:

"... In construing statutes, therefore, results that ar: unreasonable, illogical or inconsistent with common sense should be avoided whenever possible consistent with the statutory language, with the real legislative intention prevailing over the intention indicated by the literal meaning." B.F. Saul Co. v. West End Park, 250 Md. 707, 246 A.2d 591 (1968); Sanza v. Md. Board of Censors, 245 Md. 319, 225 A.2d 317 (1967); Height v. State,

It is the opinion of this Board that to deny the requested building permit in view of the above-quoted legal interpretation would be arbitrary on the part of this Board. The Board is aware that the granting of this building permit for one residence on this R.C. 2 parcel officially created after the enactment of the R.C. 2 regulations but morally created years prior to their enactment may be construed as opening the door to indiscriminate subdeveloping of R.C. 2 properties by way of testamentary disposition. In order to preclude

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this, the Board will require that a stipulation be entered among the Land Records of Baltimore County by Mr. Graziano that, so long as the zoning on this parcel remains R.C. 2, no further subdevelopment may be permitted or any other building permits considered. In consideration of the above, the Board is of the opinion that the building permit for parcel B owned by Mr. Graziano be

It is therefore this 1st day of March , 1988 by the County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County ORDERED that the two parcels designated in the will of Lizetta Bedgar, surveyed and entered among the Land Records of Baltimore County, and deeded to Thomas A. Bedgar, Jr., and Thomas J. Graziano be and the same are GRANTED;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petition for Special Hearing to permit a building permit for a single-family dwelling on that lot known as parcel B owned by Mr. Graziano be and the same is GRANTED, providing a stipulation be entered among the Land Records of Baltimore County that so long as the zoning remains R.C. 2 no further subdividing or building permits will be permitted.

Any appeal from this decision must be made in accordance with Rules B-1 through B-13 of the Maryland Rules of Procedure.

COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

WHEREAS, by Deed dated March 15, 1932, the property hereinafter described was granted and conveyed by William N. Pereg . divorced, unto Levi T. Curtis and Bessie A. Curtis (also mometimes known as Bessie Alma Curtis), his wife, and which Deed is recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, Maryland, in Liber L.McL.M. No. 895, folio 75, and

WHEREAS, the said Levi T. Curtis departed this life on or about June 18, 1961, survived by his widow, Bessie Alma Curtis, and the latter departed this life on or about November 7, 1982, leaving a Last Will and Testament filed of record in the Orphans' Court of Baltimore County in Estate No. 51845 and in which Estate the said Marcha Virginia Kohler was appointed

Personal Representative on Pr ruary 25, 1983, and WHEREAS, by First and Final Administration Account filed in the aforementioned Estate the property hereinafter described was distributed by Martha Virginia Kohler, Personal Representative unto the parties of the second

part, and WHEREAS, pursuant to the Estates and Trust Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland, the party of the first part is authorized to execute these presents in order to west title to the hereinafter described property in the

parties of the second part.

NOW, THEREFORE, WITNESSETH, THAT in consideration of the premises and other good and valuable consideration (the actual monetary consideration being none), the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the said Martha Virginia Rohler, Personal Representative of the Estate of Bessie Alma Curtis, deceased, pursuant to the power and authority vested in her pursuant to the Estates and Trust Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland and in furtherance of the First and Pinal Administration Account filed in the said Estate, does grant and convey unto Martha Virginia Kohler, Thomas Robert Curtis and Harry Levi Curtis, their personal representatives and assigns, all that parce of ground situate, lying and being in the Fifth Election District of Baltimore County, State of Maryland, and described as follows, that is to say:

FOR DESCRIPTION SEE EXHIBIT "A" ATTACHED HERETO AND MADE

TRANSFER TAX NOT REQUIRED

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TOGETHER with the buildings thereupon, and the rights, alleys, ways, waters, privileges, appurtenances and adventages thereto belonging, or in any-

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said described parcel of ground and premises to the said Martha Virginia Kohler, Thomas Robert Curtis and Henry Levi Curtis, their personal representatives and assigns, in fee simple.

ALD the said party of the first part hereby covenants that she will execute such further assurances of the same as may be requisite.

STATE OF MARYLAND, Baltimore County , to wit:

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That on this 4th day of February the year one thousand nine hundred and eighty-four, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public of the State aforesaid, personally appeared Martha Virginia Kohler, Personal Representative of the Estate of Bessie Alma Curtis, known to me (or satisfactorily proven) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged that she executed the same for the purposes therein contained, and in my presence signed and sealed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.

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EXRIBIT "A"

SAVING AND EXCEPTING therefrom all that property which by (a) Deed dated May 6, 1971, and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber O.T.G. No. 5209, 110 18, was granted and conveyed by Bessie A. Curtis, widow, unto Thomas Robert Curtis and Dorothy R. Curtis, his wife, and (b) Deed dated April 26, 1973, and recorded among the Land Records aforesaid in Liber E.R.K.Jr. No. 5355, folio 52, was granted and conveyed by Bessie A. Curtis, widow, unto

BEGINNING for the same at stone 4 South 36 degrees East 271 feet from the end of the North 41-1/4 degrees 54 perches line of the first lot of ground described in a deed from William M. Peregoy and wife to James P. Kelley, recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, June 21, 1928, in Liber W.H.M. No. 656, folio 476, etc., running thence by line of division North 45 degrees and 40 minutes East 817 feet to stone 1 set on the West side of Palls Road 20 feet from the centre thereof, thence along the West side of said road 4 courses and distances as follows: South 19 degrees and 55 minutes East 160 feet, South 17 degrees and 55 minutes East 100 feet, South 6 degrees and 5 minutes East 100 feet, South 35 minutes West 85 feet, thence by the present boundary of the first said tract of land. South 26 degrees and 45 minutes West 500 feet, South 31 degrees and 15 minutes West 219 feet to a stone, thence by the present boundary of the second lot of ground described in above mentioned deed, South 33 degrees and 50 minutes West 271 feet to or near the centre of Indian Run, thence following said Run North 58 degrees and 10 minutes West 30 feet, North 31 degrees and 40 minutes West 550 feet, North 33 degrees and 30 minutes West 370 feet, North 23 decrees and 30 minutes West 73 feet. North 65 degrees and 45 minutes West 55 feet, thence leaving said Run and by line of division North 47 degrees and 45 minutes East 251 feet intersecting the North 40 degrees West 63 perches line of the said second tract, thence along said line reversely South 36 degrees East 405 feet to the place of beginning. Containing in all 14.16 acres of land, more

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the parties herein do hereby grant and convey unto Martha Virginia Kohler and Robert Thomas Curtis in trust for the benefit of Harry Levi Curtis with direction to sell, with full powers of sale, and to apply all of the proceeds of said sale for the benefit of said Harry Levi Curtis all that lot or parcel of land situate and lying m in Baltimore County, State of Maryland and described as Curtis Family Parcel Number Three on the description thereof attached hereto and made a part hereof.

thereof attached hereto and made a part hereof.

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of 12.00 acres of land, more or less; and,

, party of the third part.

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part hereof.

DEED IN LIEU OF PARTITION

between MARTHA VIRGINIA KOHLER, party of the first part, THOMAS

WHEREAS, by Deed dated the Hth day of Hebituary 1984, and recorded or intended to be recorded among the Land

Virginia Kohler, Personal Representative of the Estate of Bessie

Alma Curtis, deceased, conveyed unto the within Grantees a parcel

of land containing 14.16 acres, more or less, saving and excepting

therefrom certain parcels theretofore conveyed there out, or a net

WHEREAS, the parties hereto and have agreed to a physical

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AND, for the considerations hereinabove set forth, the said

AND, for the consideration hereinabove set forth, all of

Records of Baltimore County immediately prior hereto, Martha

partition of said 12 acres, in kind, wherefore this Deed is

consideration of the premises and the sum of One (\$1.00) Dollar

whereof is hereby acknowledged, the said parties of the second and

third part do herein grant and convey unto the party of the first

paid by each of the parties hereto unto the other, the receipt

part herein, her personal representatives and assigns, in fee

simple, all that parcel of land situate and lying in Baltimore

County, State of Maryland and described as Curtis Family Parcel

Number One on the description thereof attached hereto and made a

parties of the first part and third parts herein do hereby grant and convey unto the party of the second part herein, his personal

representatives and assigns, in fee simple, all that lot or parcel of land situate and lying in Baltimore County, State of Maryland

and described as Curtis Family Parcel Number Two on the description

ROBERT CURTIS, party of the second part, and RARRY LEVI CURTIS,

THIS DEED made this /7 th day of August . 1984 by and

TOGETHER with the buildings thereupon and the rights, alleys, ways, waters, privileges, and advantages thereon to belonging or anywise appertaining.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said described parcels of ground and premises unto and to the Grantees as hereinabove set forth, their respective personal representatives and assigns in fee

AND THE PARTIES hereby covenant that they will execute such

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other and further assurances as may be requisite.

WITNESS THE HANDS AND SEALS OF THE PARTIES HERETO:

STATE OF MARYLAND, COUNTY OF Sallo . , To Wit:

I HEREBY CERTIFY That on this 17 day of August. 1984, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared MARTHA VIRGINIA KOHLER, known to me or satisfactorily proven to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and made oath in due form of law that she executed same for the purposes therein

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My Commission Expires: 7/1/86

STATE OF MARYLAND, COUNTY OF Sacto., To Wit: I HEREBY CERTIFY That on this 17 day of Aergust. 1984, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared THOMAS ROBERT CURTIS, known to me or satisfactorily proven to be the person whos name is subscribed to the within instrument and made oath in due form of law that she executed same for the purposes therein

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My Commission Expires: 7/1/86

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WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal.

My Commission Expires: 7/1/86

CURTIS FAMILY PARCEL NUMBER ONE

BEGINNING for the same at Stone 1 heretofore set on the west side of Falls Road 20 feet from the center thereof, said stone marking the end of the first or north 45 degrees 40 minutes east 817 feet line of the lar. described in a Deed dated March 15, 1932 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber LMCLM, No. 895, folio 75 was granted and conveyed by William N. Peregoy unto Levi T. Curtis and Bessie A. Curtis, his wife, and running thence with and binding along the west side of Falls Road and the second, third and parts of the fourth line of the land described in the Deed hereinabove mentioned the three following courses and distances: 1) South 20 degrees 04 minutes 40 seconds East 160 feet; 2) South 18 degrees 04 minutes 40 seconds East 100 feet; 3) South 6 degrees 14 minutes 40 seconds East 100 feet to intersect the end of the second line of the land which by Deed dated May 6, 1971 and recorded among the Land Record of Baltimore County in Liber OTG, No. 5209, folio 18 was granted and conveyed by Bessie A. Curtis, widow, unto Thomas Robert Curtis and Dorothy R. Curtis, his wife and running thence and binding reversely along a portion of said second line of the land described in said last mentioned Deed south 45 degrees 56 minutes 00 seconds West 494.69 feet to a point; thence for lines of division and running north 44 degrees 04 minutes West 297.5 feet, more or less, to intersect the first line of the land described in the Deed firstly herein referred to at the end of 158 feet thereon and running thence with and binding along said line north 45 degrees 30 minutes 20 seconds East 659 feet, more or less, to the place of beginning. Containing 4.00 acres of land, more or less.

Subject however to a right-of-way 15 feet wide extending from Falls Road southerly as created by Deed dated May 6, 1971 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber OTG, No. 5209. folio 18 from Bessie A. Curtis, widow, unto Thomas Robert Curtis and Dorothy R. Curtis, his wife.

Subject also to two additional rights-of-way, 15 feet wide for the benefit of Curtis Family Parcel Number Two and Curtis Family Parcel Number Three connecting with the 15 feet wide right-of-way hereinabove referred to, said two additional rights-of-way 15 feet wide lying along a portion of the southeasternmost and all of the southwesternmost lines of the above described Curtis Family Parcel Number One so as to afford ingress to and egress from Curtis Family Parcel Number Two and Curtis Family Parcel Number Three from and to Falls Road and to be used in common with the owners thereof as well as the said Thomas Robert Curtis and Dorothy R. Curtis, as Grantees under the Deed of May 6, 1971, hereinabove referred to, their respective personal

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BEGINNING for the same at a stone on or near the center of Indian Run at the end of the eighth or south 33 degress 50 minutes West 271 foot line of that parcel of land which by Deed dated March 15, 1932 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber LMCLM, No. 895, folio 75 was granted and conveyed by William N. Peregoy unto Levi T. Curtis and Bessie A. Curtis, his wife, and running thence along or nearly along the said Indian Run and . binding with and along all of the minth line and a portion of the tenth line of the aforesaid Deed the following two courses and distances: 1) North 58 degrees 19 minutes 40 séconds West 30 feet and North 31 degrees 49 minutes 40 seconds West 410 feet thence leaving the said Indian Run and running for a new line of division North 45 degrees 30 minutes East 440 feet more or less to intersect the fifth or North 44 degrees 04 minutes West 297.5 foot line of Curtis Family Parcel Number One at the end of 65 feet thereon; thence running and binding reversely along said last mentioned line of said Curtis Family Parcel Number One South 44 degrees 04 minutes East 65 feet to intersect the second or North 45 degrees 56 minutes 00 seconds East 520.93 feet line of the land by Deed dated May 6, 1971 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber OTG, No. 5209, folio 18 was granted and conveyed by Bessie A. Curtis, widow, unto Thomas Robert Curtis and Dorothy R. Curtis, his wife, at the end of 26.24 feet thereon; thence leaving said Curtis Family Parcel Number One and binding reversely along the second and first lines of said last mentioned Deed the following two courses and distances: 1) South 45 degrees 56 minutes 00 seconds West 26.24 feet and 2) South 63 degrees 24 minutes 40 seconds East 219.02 feet to intersect the sixth or South 26 degrees 45 minutes West 500 foot line of the land described in the Deed firstly herein referred to at the end of 400.00 feet thereon and running thence with and binding along the remainder of said sixth line and all of the seventh and eighth lines of the parcel of land herein lastly referred to the following three courses and distances: 1) South 26 degrees 35 minutes 20 seconds West 100 feet; 2) South 31 degrees 05 minutes 20 seconds West 219 feet and 3) South 33 degrees 40 minutes 20 seconds West 271 feet to the place of beginning. Containing 4.00 acres of land, more or less, together with an easement or right-of-way 15 feet wide leading across Curtis Family Parcel Number One, which said easement or right-of-way runs along the northwesternmost side of that parcel of land which by Deed dated May 6, 1971 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber OTG, No. 5209, folio 18 was granted and conveyed by Bessie A. Curtis, widow, unto Thomas Robert Curtis and Dorothy R. Curtis, his wife, from the land hereinabove described northeasterly to the 15 foot right-of-way described in the Deed last herein referred to and running thence in a northerly and northeasterly direction along said existing 15 foot right-of-way to the Falls Road so as to provide ingress to and egress from the parcel of land hereinabove described from and to the Falls Road.

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CURTIS FAMILY PARCEL NUMBER THREE

BEGINNING for the same at a stone no. 4 south 36 degrees East 271 feet from the end of the north 41 1/4 degrees 54 perches line of the first lot of ground described in a Deed from William N. Peregoy and wife to James P. Kelly recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, June 21, 1928 in Liber WHM, No. 656, folio 476, said stone also marking the beginning of that tract of land which by Deed dated March 15, 1932 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber LMCLM, No. 895, folio 75 was granted and conveyed by William N. Peregoy unto Levi T. Curtis and Bessie A. Curtis, his wife, and running thence with and binding alorg a portion of the first line of said last mentioned Deed North 45 degrees 30 minutes 20 seconds East 158 feet to intersect the Curtis Family Parcel Number One and running thence reversely along a portion of the fifth or North 44 degrees 04 minutes West 297.5 foot line of said Curtis Family Parcel Number One South 44 degrees .04 minutes East 232.5 feet, more or less, to intersect the northern most corner of Curtis Family Parcel Number Two and running thence and binding reversely along the third line of said Curtis Family Parcel Number Two South 45 degrees 30 minutes West 440 feet to intersect the tenth or north 31 degrees 40 minutes West 550 foot line of the land conveyed by Peregoy to Curtis as aforesaid at a point situate 140 feet from the end thereof and running thence with and binding along the remainder of said tenth line of said last mentioned Deed North 31 degrees 49 minutes 40 seconds West 140 feet thence running with and binding along all of the eleventh line of said last mentioned Deed North 33 degrees 39 minutes 40 seconds West 370 feet running thence with and binding along a portion of the twelfth line of said last mentioned Deed North 23 degrees 39 minutes 40 seconds West 45 feet, more or less, to intersect that 0.7 acre parcel of land which by Deed dated April 26, 1973 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber EHKJr., No. 5355, folio 52 was granted and conveyed by Bessie A. Curtis unto Bankers Trust Company, Trustee, et al and running thence and binding along the land contained in the Deed lastly herein referred to North 47 degrees 35 minutes 20 seconds East: 218 feet, more or less, to intersect the fifteenth or South 36 degrees East 405 foot line of the land conveyed by Peregoy to Curtis as aforesaid at the end of 78 feet thereon and running thence with and binding along the remainder of said last mentioned line south 36 degrees 09 minutes 40 seconds East 327 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 4.00 acres of land, more or less, together with an easement or right-of-way across Curtis Family Parcel Number One 15 feet wide extending southerly along the second or South 44 degrees 04 minutes East 232.5 feet line of the land hereinabove described as well as along the South 44 degrees 04 minutes East 65 foot line of Curtis Family Parcel Number Tvo to connect with the 15 foot wide easement or right-of-way appertinent to said Curtis Family Parcel Number Two and thence easterly and northeasterly so as to afford ingress to and egress from the property hereinabove described from and to the Falls Road.

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BEING one of the lots or parcels of ground which by Deed in lieu of partition and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber E.H.K.Jr., No. 6786 folio 282 was granted and conveyed by Martha Virginia Kohler et al unto Martha Virginia Kohler and Robert Thomas Curtis, in Trust for the benefit of Harry Levi Cu. is, the Grantors

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they will warrant specially the property hereby granted; and that

such further assurances of the same as may be requisite.

STATE OF MARYLAND, Baltimore County , to wit I HEREBY CERTIFY, That on this

the subscriber, a Notary Public of the State aforesaid, personally appeared Michael Blair Lee and

known to me (or satisfactorily proven) to be the person s whose name s ig/are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged the foregoing Desi to be their act, and in my presence signed and

In Witness Whereor, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.

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they will warrant specially the property hereby granted; and that they such further assurances of the same as may be requisite.

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THOMAS ROBERT CURTIS

STATE OF MARYLAND, Buck o Buty I HEREBY CERTIFY, That on this 18th day of December

in the year one thousand nine hundred and eighty-four the subscriber, a Notary Public of the State aforesaid, personally appeared Martha Virginia Kohler and Thomas Robert Curtis

known to me (or satisfactorily proven) to be the person S whose name S is/are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged the foregoing Deed to be theiract, and in my presence signed and sealed the same. In WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.

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STIPULATION OF FACTS

In 1932, by deed dated March 15, 1932, the subject 12.00 acres and an additional 2.00 acres more or less were purchased by Levy and Bessie Curtis. Subsequently, by deed dated May 6, 1371, Bessie A. Curtis, then a widow, transferred 1.451 acres of the 14.00 acres more or less to her son, Thomas Curtis and Dorothy R. Curtis, his wife. Said parcel is identified as Parcel A on Petitioner's Exhibit 1. Thereafter, .7 acres of the remaining acreage was deeded to the Baltimore Gas and Electric Company in 1973. At that time, there remained 12.00 acres more or less. Bessie Curtis passed away in February, 1983 and by will divided the property among her three children. On August 17, 1984, the three children filed a deed in lieu of partition in the Land Records of Baltimore County dividing the remaining 12.00 acres illegally into three parcels. Testimony presented by Petitioners indicated that since 1984, there has been no construction on any of the three parcels. Parcel 1 was given to the daughter, Martha Kohler who has since passed away and left Parcel 1 to Thomas Curtis' daughters. Parcel 2 was deeded to Thomas Curtis, the adjoining property owner of Parcel A and Parcel 3 was deeded to Martha Kohler as Trustee for her brother, Harry Curtis. Parcel 3 was subsequently sold in 1984 to Petitioner's predecessor in interest. The division of the property into three (3) lots is an illegal subdivision in violation of Section 1A01.3 of the B.C.Z.R.

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Witnessers, That in consideration of the sum of Thirty-four Thousand Two Hundred Sixtynine and no/100 Dollars (\$34,269.00) receipt of which is hereby acknowledged

the said parties of the first part

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rant and convey to the said party of the second part, his

For description see attached EXHIBIT "A"

ot of ground described in a Deed dated December 18, 1984 and recorded for the benefit of Harry Levi Curtis, unto Michael B. Lee and Julie V. Close. (Julie V. Close is now known as Julie V. Close Lee)

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> HESSEY, DURBIN, TWOMEY & FOWLER, P. A. ATTORNEYS AT LAW THE FIDELITY BUILDING 210 NORTH CHARLES STREET

BALTIMORE, MARYLAND 21201 (301) 539-3300 FAX: (30)) 539-3305

September 26, 1990

Zoning Office County Office Building Room 315 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Gentlemen:

Re: Case No.: 90-62-SPH (Dennis G. McGee)

I have received a letter dated September 21, 1990, from LindaLee M. Kuszmaul relating to exhibits put into evidence at the hearing in the captioned matter before the County Board of

Please be advised that I would like to retrieve the original exhibits, particularly the color coded plat of the subject

I will be giving the office a call to determine an appropriate time to pick up these exhibits.

Your assistance in this matter is appreciated. Sincerely,

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DEED IN LIEU OF PARTITION

THIS DEED made this 17th day of August , 1984 by and between MARTHA VIRGINIA KOHLER, party of the first part, THOMAS ROBERT CURTIS, party of the second part, and HARRY LEVI CURTIS, , party of the third part.

WHEREAS, by Deed dated the #th day of February 1984, and recorded or intended to be recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County immediately prior hereto, Martha Virginia Rohler, Personal Representative of the Estate of Bessie Alma Curtis, deceased, conveyed unto the within Grantees a parcel of land containing 14.16 acres, more or less, saving and excepting therefrom certain parcels theretofore conveyed there out, or a net of 12.00 acres of land, more or less; and,

WHEREAS, the parties hereto and have agreed to a physical partition of said 12 acres, in kind, wherefore this Deed is executed.

NOW, This Deed in Lieu of Partition witnesseth, that in consideration of the premises and the sum of One (\$1.00) Dollar paid by each of the parties hereto unto the other, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, ' a said parties of the second and third part do herein grant and convey unto the party of the first part herein, her personal representatives and assigns, in fee simple, all that parcel of land situate and lying in Baltimore County, State of Maryland and described as Curtis Family Parcel Number One on the description thereof attached hereto and made a part hereof.

AND, for the considerations hereinabove set forth, the said parties of the first part and third parts herein do hereby grant and convey unto the party of the second part herein, his personal representatives and assigns, in fee simple, all that lot or parcel of land situate and lying in Baltimore County, State of Maryland and described as Curtis Family Parcel Number Two on the description thereof attached hereto and made a part hereof.

AND, for the consideration hereinabove set forth, all of the parties herein do hereby grant and convey unto Martha Virginia Kohler and Robert Thomas Curtis in trust for the benefit of Harry Levi Curtis with direction to sell, with full powers of sale, and to apply all of the proceeds of said sale for the benefit of said E Harry Levi Curtis all that lot or parcel of land situate and lying m in Baltimore County, State of Maryland and described as Curtis Family Parcel Number Three on the description thereof attached hereto and made a part hereof.

TOGETHER with the buildings thereupon and the rights, alleys, ways, waters, privileges, and advantages thereon to belonging or anywise appertaining.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said described parcels of ground and premises unto and to the Grantees as hereinabove set forth, their respective personal representatives and assigns in fee simple.

AND THE PARTIES hereby covenant that they will execute such

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STATE OF MARYLAND, COUNTY OF Seeko . . . To Wit: I HEREBY CERTIFY That on this 17 day of August. 1984, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared MARTHA VIRGINIA KOHLER, known to me or satisfactorily proven to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and made oath in due form of law that she executed same for the purposes therein

WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal.

My Commission Expires: 7/1/86

STATE OF MARYLAND, COUNTY OF Sacko., To Wit: I HEREBY CERTIFY That on this 17 day of August. 1984, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public in and for the

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WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal.

My Commission Expires: 7/1/86 STATE OF MARYLAND, COUNTY OF Bueko., To Wit:

I HEREBY CERTIFY That on this 17 day of august 1984, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared HARRY LEVI CURTIS known to me or satisfactorily proven to be the person whose name is, subscribed to the within instrument and made oath in due form of law that she executed same for the purposes therein contained.

WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal. Sauce F. Coxestina.

My Commission Expires: 7/1/86

CURTIS FAMILY PARCEL NUMBER ONE

BEGINNING for the same at Stone 1 heretofore sat on the west side of Falls Road 20 feet from the center thereof, said stone marking the end of the first or north 45 degrees 40 minutes east 817 feet line of the land described in a Deed dated March 15, 1932 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber LMCLM, No. 895, folio 75 was granted and conveyed by William N. Peregoy unto Levi T. Curtis and Bessie A. Curtis, his wife, and running thence with and binding along the west side of Falls Road and the second, third and parts of the fourth line of the land described in the Deed hereinabove mentioned the three following courses and distances: 1) South 20 degrees 04 minutes 40 seconds East 160 feet; 2) South 18 degrees 04 minutes 40 seconds East 100 feet: 3) South 6 degrees 14 minutes 40 seconds East 100 feet to intersect the end of the second line of the land which by Deed dated May 6, 1971 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber OTG, No. 5209, folio 18 was granted and conveyed by Bessie A. Curtis, widow, unco Thomas Robert Curtis and Dorothy R. Curtis, his wife and running thence and binding reversely along a portion of said second line of the land described in said last mentioned Deed south 45 degrees 56 minutes 00 seconds West 494.69 feet to a point; thence for lines of division and running north 44 degrees 04 minutes West 297.5 feet, more or less, to intersect the first line of the land described in the Deed firstly herein referred to at the end of 158 feet thereon and running thence with and binding along said line north 45 degrees 30 minutes 20 seconds East 659 feet, more or less, to the place of beginning. Containing 4.00 acres of land, more or less.

Subject howe ar to a right-of-way 15 feet wide extending from Falls Road southerly as created by Deed dated May 6, 1971 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber OTG, No. 5209, folio 18 from Bessie A. Curtis, widow, unto Thomas Robert Curtis and Dorothy R. Curtis, his wife.

Subject also to two additional rights-of-way, 15 feet wide for the benefit of Curtis Family Parcel Number Two and Curtis Family Parcel Number Three connecting with the 15 feet wide right-of-way hereinabove referred to, said two additional rights-of-way 15 feet wide lying along a portion of the southeasternmost and all of the southwesternmost lines of the above described Curtis Family Parcel Number One so as to afford ingress to and egress from Curtis Family Parcel Number Two and Curtis Family Parcel Number Three from and to Falls Road and to be used in common with the owners thereof as well as the said Thomas Robert Curtis and Dorothy R. Curtis, as Grantees under the Deed of May 6, 1971, hereinabove referred to, their respective personal representatives and assigns.

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CURTIS FAMILY PARCEL NUMBER TWO

BEGINNING for the same at a stone on or near the center of Indian Run at the end of the eighth or south 33 degress 50 minutes West 271 foot line of that parcel of land which by Deed dated March 15, 1932 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber LMCLM, No. 895, folio 75 was granted and conveyed by William N. Peregcy unto Levi T. Curtis and Bessie A. Curtis, his wife, and running thence along or nearly along the said Indian Run and binding with and along all of the ninth line and a portion of the tenth line of the aforesaid Deed the following two courses and distances: 1) North 58 degrees 19 minutes 40 seconds West 30 feet and North 31 degrees 49 minutes 40 seconds West 410 feet thence leaving the said Indian Run and running for a new line of division North 45 degrees 30 minutes East 440 feet more or less to intersect the fifth or North 44 degrees 04 minutes West 297.5 foot line of Curtis Family Parcel Number One at the end of 65 feet thereon; thence running and binding reversely along said last mentioned line of said Curtis Family Parcel Number One South 44 degrees 04 minutes East 65 feet to intersect the second or North 45 degrees 56 minutes 00 seconds East 520.93 feet line of the land by Deed dated May 6, 1971 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber OTG, No. 5209, folio 18 was granted and conveyed by Bessie A. Curtis, widow, unto Thomas Robert Curtis and Dorothy R. Curtis, his wife, at the end of 26.24 feet thereon; thence leaving said Curtis Family Parcel Number One and binding reversely along the second and first lines of said last mentioned Deed the following two courses and distances: 1) South 45 degrees 56 minutes 00 seconds West 26.24 feet and 2) South 63 degrees 24 minutes 40 seconds East 219.02 feet to intersect the sixth or South 26 degrees 45 minutes West 500 foot line of the land described in the Deed firstly herein referred to at the end of 400.00 feet thereon and running thence with and binding along the remainder of said sixth line and all of the seventh and eighth lines of the parcel of land herein lastly referred to the following three courses and distances: 1) South 26 degrees 35 minutes 20 seconds West 100 feet; 2) South 31 degrees 05 minutes 20 seconds West 219 feet and 3) South 33 degrees 40 minutes 20 seconds West 271 feet to the place of beginning. Containing 4.00 acres of land, more or less, together with an easement or right-of-way 15 feet wide leading across Curtis Family Parcel Number One, which said easement or right-of-way runs along the northwesternmost side of that parcel of land which by Deed dated May 6, 1971 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber OTG, No. 5209, folio 18 was granted and conveyed by Bessie A. Curtis, widow, unto Thomas Robert Curtis and Dorothy R. Curtis, his wife, from the land hereinabove described northeasterly to the 15 foot right-of-way described in the Deed last herein referred to and running thence in a northerly and northeasterly direction along said existing 15 foot right-of-way to the Falls Road so as to provide ingress to and egress from the parcel of land hereinabove described from and to the Falls Road.

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CURTIS FAMILY PARCEL NUMBER THREE

BEGINNING for the same at a stone no. 4 south 36 degrees East 271 feet from the end of the north 41 1/4 degrees 54 perches line of the first lot of ground described in a Deed from William N. Peregoy and wife to James P. Kelly recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, June 21, 1928 in Liber WHM, No. 656, folio 476, said stone also marking the beginning of that tract of land which by Deed dated March 15, 1932 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber LMCLM, No. 895, folio 75 was granted and conveyed by William N. Peregoy unto Levi T. Curtis and Bessie A. Curtis, his wife, and running thence with and binding along a portion of the first line of said last mentioned Deed North-45 degrees 30 minutes 20 seconds East 158 feet to intersect the Curtis Family Parcel Number One and running thence reversely along a portion of the fifth or North 44 degrees 04 minutes West 297.5 foot line of said Curtis Family Parcel Number One South 44 degrees 04 minutes East 232.5 feet, more or less, to intersect the northern most corner of Curtis Family Parcel Number Two and running thence and binding reversely along the third line of said Curtis Family Parcel Number Two South 45 degrees 30 minutes West 440 feet to intersect the tenth or north 3! degrees 40 minutes West 550 foot line of the land conveyed by Peregoy to Curtis as aforesaid at a point situate 140 feet from the end thereof and running thence with and binding along the remainder of said tenth line of said last mentioned Deed North-31-degrees-49-minutes-40-seconds-West-140-feets thence running with and binding along all of the eleventh line of said last mentioned Deed North 33-degrees-39-minutes 40 seconds West 370 feet running thence with and binding along a portion of the twelfth line of said last mentioned Deed North-23 degrees-39 minutes 40 seconds West-45 feet, more or less, to intersect that 0.7 acre parcel of land which by Deed dated April 26, 1973 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber EHKJr., No. 5355, folio 52 was granted and conveyed by Bessie A. Curtis unto Bankers Trust Company, Trustee, et al and running thence and binding along the land contained in the Deed lastly herein referred to North 47 degrees 35 minutes 20 seconds East 218 feet, more or less, to intersect the fifteenth or South 36 degrees East 405 foot line of the land conveyed by Peregoy to Curtis as aforesaid at the end of 78 feet thereon and running thence with and binding along the remainder of said last mentioned line south-36 degrees 09 minutes 40 seconds East 327 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 4:00 acres of land, more or less, together with an easement or right-of-way across Curtis Family Parcel Number One 15 feet wide extending southerly along the second or South 44 degrees 04 minutes East 232.5 feet line of the land hereinabove described as well as along the South 44 degrees 04 minutes East 65 foot line of Curtis Family Parcel Number Two to connect with the 15 foot wide easement or right-of-way appertinent to said Curtis Family Parcel Number Two and thence easterly and northersterly so as to afford ingress to and egress from the property hereinabove described from and to the Falls Road.

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I this Doed-Made this 15th day of March in the year one thousand) nine hundred and thirty two by and between William & Peregoy) divorced of Baltimore County in the State of Karyland of the Levi T Curtis & Wife) first part and Levi T Curtis and Bessie & Curtis his wife of 1 the County and State afore saidof the second part

Witnesseth that in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars and other good and valueble considerations the receipt whereof is hereby fully acknowledged the said William N Peregoy does grant and convey unto the said Levi T Curtis and Bessie it Curtis his wife as tenants by the entireties in fee simple all that lot or parcel of land and premises situate lying and being in the Fifth Election District of Bultimore County aforesaid and

described as follows that is to say Beginning for the same at stone 4 South 36 degrees East 271 feet from the end of the North 41-1 degrees 54 perches line of the first lot of ground described in a deed from Filliam N Peregoy and wife to James P Kelley recorded among the Land Records of Bultimore County June 21 1928 in Liber # H H No 655 folio 476 etc running thence by line c division Earth 45 degrees and 40 minutes East 81? feet to stone 1 sat on the West side of Falls Road 20 feet from the centre thereof thence along the West side of said road 4 courses and distances as follows South 19 degrees and 55 minutes Zast 189 feet Fouth 17 degrees and 53 minutes East 100 feet South 6 degrees and 5 minutes East 100 feet South 35 minutes Weak 85 feet thence by the present boundary of the first said tract of land South 26 degrees and 45 minutes West 500 feet South 51 degrees and 15 minutes West 219 feet to a stone thence by the present boundary of the second lot of ground described in above mentioned deed South 33 degrees and 50 minutes West 271 feet to or mear the centre of Indian Run thence following said Run Forth 58 degrees and 10 minutes Test 30 feet North 31 degrees and 40 minutes Test 550 Feet North 55 degrees and 50 minutes Test 570 feet Forth 23 degrees and 30 minutes West 73 feet Forth 65 degrees and 45 minutes West 55 feet thence leaving said Run and by line of division North 47 degrees and 45 minutes

tract thence along said line reversely South 36 degrees East 405 feet to the place of beginning Containing in all 14.16 acres of land nors or less Being part of the land and premises which by deed dated September 22 1930 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber L McL M No 854 folio 480 etc was conveyed by Carrie E Peregoy unto the said Jillian H Peregoy the said William H Peregoy having been divorced a vinculo matrimomia from his wife Carrie E Peregoy es may readily be ascertained by reference to Equity Docket No 51 folio 153 one of the dockets of the Circuit Court for Baltimore County Together with the buildings and improvements thereupon erected made or being and all and every the rights alleys mays waters privileges appurtenances and advantages to the same belonging or anywise appertaining To Have and To Hold the said lot of ground and premises above described and mention ed and hereby intended to be conveyed together with the rights privileges appurtemences and advantages thereto belonging or apportaining unto end to the proper use and benefit of the said Levi T Curtis and Bessie A Curtis his wife as tenents by the entireties in and the said party of the first part hereby covenant that he has not done or suffered to be done any act matter or thing whatsoever to encumber the property hereby conveyed that he will marrant specially the property granted and that he will execute such further assurances of the same as may be requisite Titness the hand and soul of said granter

William_N Peregoy . (Seal) Heater C Billingsley State of England Bultimore County to 711 I Hereby Certify That on this 15th day of Earth in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty two before me the subscriber a Motory Public of the State of Maryland in and for the County aforesaid personally appeared William & Peregoy the above named grantor and he acknowledged the foregoing Deed to be his ac-

as Titness my hand and Notarial Seal Recorded For 15 1952 at 5,15 P E and exd per Louis McL Kerryman Clerk

) This Mortrage Made this 15th day of March in the year ninete hundred and thirty two by and between Levi T Curtis and Bos-Levi T Curtis & Tife John G Cole et al) State of Laryland of the first part and John G Cole and Bertha _] G Kelbaugh Ecstragees of the second part

Thereas the said mortgagors ove and stand justly indebted to the said mortgagess in the full and just sum of twenty two hundred (32200.00) dollars said sum having been advanced by said mortgagess to the mortgages as part of the purchase price of the hereinafter described property and for said sum the said mortgagors have passed unto the said mortgagess their promissory note bearing even date with these presents and payable three years after date and for the interest to accrue thereon they have passed unto the cald mortgagess their six interest notes all like dated each for the sum of fifty five dollars (\$55.00) and payable respectively in six twelve eighteen twenty four thirty and

LIBER5209 PAGEO # B PET-BIMPLE DEED - INDIVIDUAL GRANTOR AND GRANTEE - 40

> PREPARED WITHOUT BENEFIT OF TITLE EXAMINATION TRANSFER MOTHER TO SON

BESSIE A. CURTIS, widow,

, of the first part, and

THOMAS ROBERT CURTIS and DOROTHY R. CURTIS, his wife,

Witnesseth, that in consideration of the sum of Five Dollars (\$5.00), and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,

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hereby grant and convey unto the said Thomas Robert Curtis and Dorothy R. Curtis, his wife, as tenants by the entireties, their assigns, and unto the survivor

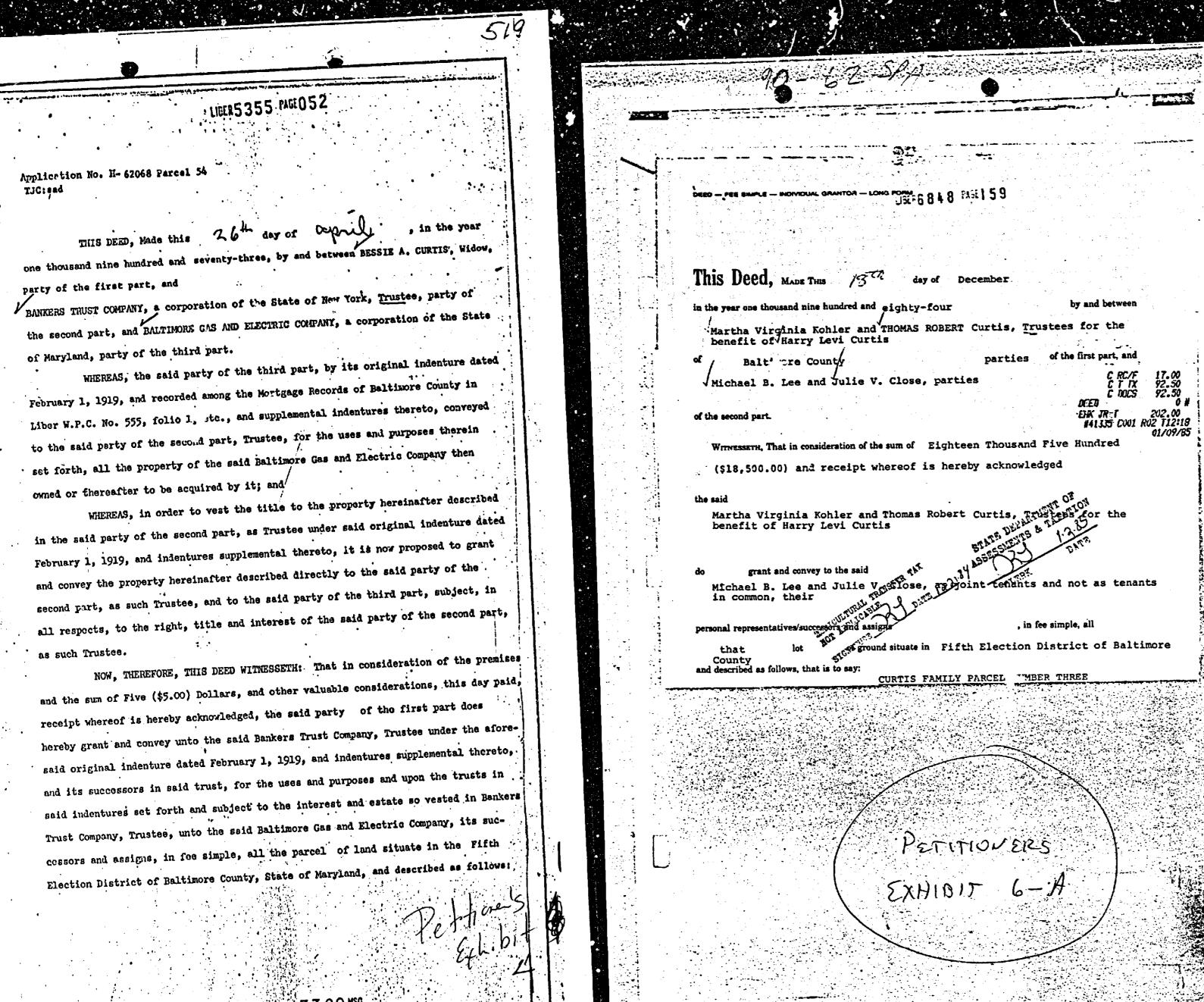
, State of Maryland, and described as follows, that is to say:-

Beginning for the same at a point in the 6th or South 26 degrees West 500.00 foot line of the land which by deed dated March 15, 1932 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber L. McL. M., No. 895, folio 75, was conveyed by William N. Peregoy, divorced, to Levi T. Curtis and Bessie A. Curtis, his wife, at the distance of 100.00 feet from the end of said sixth line, thence leaving said sixth line and running for lines of division the two following courses and distances, as now surveyed: (1) North 63 degrees 24 minutes 40 seconds West 219. 02 feet; (2) North 45 degrees 56 minutes 00 seconds East 520. 93 feet to a point on the west side of Falls Road 20.00 feet from the center thereof and to intersect the fourth or South 6 degrees 05 minutes East 100, 00 foot line of the aforesaid deed at the distance of 17.74 feet from the end of said fourth line, running thence on the west side of Falls Road and binding on a part of the fourth and on all of the fifth lines of the aforesaid deed, as now surveyed, South 5 degrees 59 minutes 00 seconds East 17.74 feet and South 0 degrees 51 minutes 00 seconds West 35.00 feet, thence leaving Falls Road and binding on a part of the sixth line of the aforesaid deed, as

place of beginning. CONTAINING 1, 451 acres of lead more or less.

TOGETHER WITH a Right of Way, 15 feet wide, extending from Falls Road southerly to the above described parcel or lard, to be used as a means of ingress

new surveyed, South 26 degrees 35 minutes 20 seconds west 400.00 feet to the



This Deed, MADE THIS 7th by and between in the year one thousand nine hundred and eighty-six Michael Blair Lee and Julie V. Close, parties of the first part, and Dennis G. McGee, party of the second part. WITNESSETH, That in consideration of the sum of Thirty-four Thousand Two Hundred Sixtynine and no/100 Dollars (\$34,269.00) receipt of which is hereby acknowledged n r rx 171.35 the said parties of the first part n nocs 172.50 grant and convey to the said party of the second part, his , in fee simple, all personal representatives her research and assigns Baltimore County, and described as follows, that is to say: For description see attached EXHIBIT "A" BEING the same lot of ground described in a Deed dated December 18, 1984 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber EHK, Jr. 6848 folio 159 was granted and conveyed by Martha Virginia Kohler and Thomas Robert Curtis, Trustees for the benefit of Harry Levi Curtis, unto Michael B. Lee and Julie V. Close. (Julie V. CLose is now known as Julie V. Close Lee) LOHITURAL TRANSFER TAT STATE PURARRENT OF APPLICABLE noitaint & by manazaza Subject to covenants and restrictions of record. B: - B DOS++++54830: aTF 13.A

Baltimore County Zoning Commissioner
Office of Planning & Zoning Towson, Maryland 21204 (301) 887-3353 J. Robert Haines



Your petition has been received and accepted for filing this 14th day of June, 1989.

Petitioner: Dennis G. McGee Petitioner's Attorney: J. Melville Townsend

Baltimore County Department of Public Works Bureau of Traffic Engineering Courts Building, Suite 405 Towson, Maryland 21204 (301) 887-3554

Mr. J. Robert Haines

County Office Building

Zoning Commissioner

Towson, MD 21204

July 24, 1989



ZONING OFFICE

Dear Mr. Haines:

The Bureau of Traffic Engineering has no comments for items number 493, 511, 513, 516, 517, 519, 520, 521, 522, 524, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532,

Traffic Engineer Associate II

Baltimore County Fire Department 800 York Road Towson, Maryland 21204-2586 (301) 887-4500 Paul H. Reincke J. Robert Haines Zoning Commissioner

Office of Planning and Zoning Baltimore County Office Building Towson, MD 21204

DENNIS G. MCGEE RE: Property Owner:

Location:

W/S OF FALLS ROAD, 2,500' S OF THE CENTERLINE OF BENSON MILL ROAD

Item No.: 519

Zoning Agenda: JUNE 13, 1989

JUNE 14, 1989

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to your request, the referenced property has been surveyed by this Bureau and the comments below are applicable and required to be corrected or incorporated into the final plans for the property. 7. The Fire Prevention Bureau has no comments at this time.

Planning Group
Special Inspection Division

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BALTIMORE COUNTY ZONING PLANS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

J. Melville Townsend, Esquire 24 W. Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 200 Towson, MD 21204

> RE: Item No. 519, Case No. 90-62-SPH Petitioner: Dennis G. McGee Petition for Special Hearing

Dear Mr. Townsend:

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Dennis F. Rasmussen
County Executive

COUNTY OFFICE BLOG.
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Towson, Maryland 2120

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The Zoning Plans Advisory Committee has reviewed the plans submitted with the above referenced petition. The following comments are not intended to indicate the appropriateness of the zoning action requested, but to assure that all parties are made aware of plans or problems with regard to the development plans that may have a bearing on this case. Director of Planning may file a written report with the Zoning Commissioner with recommendations as to the suitability of the requested

Enclosed are all comments submitted from the members of the Committee at this time that offer or request information on your petition. If similar comments from the remaining members are received, I will forward them to you. Otherwise, any comment that is not informative will be placed in the hearing file. This petition was accepted for filing on the date of the enclosed filing certificate and a hearing scheduled accordingly.

IT WOULD BE APPRECIATED IF YOU WOULD RETURN YOUR WRITTEN COMMENTS TO MY OFFICE, ATTENTION JULIE WINIARSKI. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS, PLEASE CONTACT HER AT 887-3391.

· · Zoning Plans Advisory Committee

JED:jw Enclosures

cc: Mr. Dennis G. McGee 2513 Whitehall Road Whitehall, MD 21161

BALTIMORE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL ROTECTION AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT Date	189
Zoning Commissioner Office of Planning and Zoning County Office Building Towson, Maryland 21204 Zoning Item # 5/9, Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of June 13, 1989 Property Owner: Dennis G. McGee Property Owner: Dennis G. McGee Location: W/S of Falls Rd. 2500'S of centerline of Benson Mill Rd District: Location: W/S of Falls Rd. 2500'S of centerline of Benson Mill Rd District: Water Supply: COMMENTS ARE AS FOLLOWS:	
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() A permit to construct from the Bureau of Air Quality Management is requivalent has a total cooking surface area of five (5) square feet or more.

Prior to approval of a Building Permit Application for renovations to existing or construction of new

health care facilities, complete plans and specifications of the building, food service area and type of equipment to be used for the food service operation must be submitted to the Plans Review and Approval Section, Division of Engineering and Maintenance, State Department of Health and Mental Hygiene for Prior to any new construction or substantial alteration of public swimming pool, wading poul, bathhouse,

saunas, whirlpools, hot tubs, water and sewerage facilities or other appurtenances pertaining to health and safety; two (2) copies of plans and specifications must be submitted to the Baltimore County Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management for review and approval. For more complete information, contact the Water Quality Monitoring Section, Bureau of Regional Community Services, 687-6500 x 315. Prior to approval for a nursery school, owner or applicant must comply with all Baltimore County regulations
For more complete information, contact the Division of Maternal and Child Health.

() If lubrication work and oil changes are performed at this location, the method providing for the elimination

of waste oil must be in accordance with the State Department of the Environment. () Prior to razing of existing structure(s), petitioner must contact the Division of Waste Management

at 887-3745, regarding removal and/or disposal of potentially hazardous materials and solid wastes. Petitioner must contact the Bureau of Air Quality Management regarding removal of asbestoes, 887-3775. () Any abandoned underground storage tanks containing gasoline, waste oil, solvants, etc., must have the ontents removed by a licensed hauler and tank removed from the property or properly backfilled. Prior to removal or abandonment, owner must contact the Division of Waste Management at 887-3745.

() Soil percolation tests, have been ____, must be ____, conducted.

() The results are valid until

() Soil percolation test results have expired. Petitioner should contact the Division of Water and Sewer to determine whether additional tests are required.

Where water wells are to be used as a source of water supply, a well meeting the minimum Baitimore County Standards must be drilled.

() In accordance with Section 13-117 of the Baltimore County Code, the water well yield test

() shall be valid until
() is not acceptable and must be retested. This must be accomplished prior to conveyance of property and approval of Building Permit Applications. () Prior to occupancy approval, the potability of the water supply must be verified by collection of bacterio-

() If submission of plans to the County Review Group is required, a Hydrogeological Study and an Environmental tans to the County Review Group is required, a hydrogeological actory and an invitormental to the be submitted. For more information contact the Division of Environmental Management

In order to subdivide this property, the owner or developer will be required to comply with the subdivision regulations of the State of Maryland and Baltimore County. If there are any questions regarding the

	subdivision process, please contact the Land Development Section at doi 2.000
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